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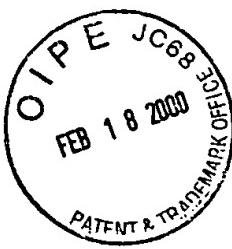
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In re Application of:

GUILLERMO R. CHACON

Serial No.: 08/941,832

Filed: October 1, 1997

For: ELECTRONIC KANBAN WORKSHEET FOR THE
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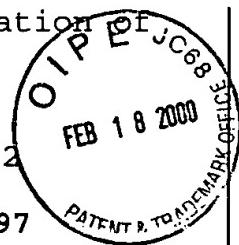
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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

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Sir:

In response to the final Official Action mailed on December 3, 1999 (Paper No. 11), please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claims as follows:

6. (once amended; rewritten as an independent claim)

[The system of claim 5,] A system for controlling a